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SPAIN RETARDS WORK OF TREATY CLAIMS COMMISSION

Will Render No Assistance in Collectien of Evidence Necessary to Bring Cases to Trial.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Jan. 3 .- There is evidence before the State Department that Spain is making no effort to assist this country in the settlement of the \$50,000,000 or more in claims growing out of the Spanish-American War. The Treaty Claims Commission has now

been in office two years, and, as far as settlement of the claims still outstanding goes, it is still as far off as ever on acsubmit the evidence necessary to bring the cases to a trial. Consideration of a proper method to

make Spain understand her moral obligation to assist in the securing of this evidence is one of the important propositions which faces the State Department at the opening of the new year.

There is an opinion in unofficial quarters

that Spain has adopted the "dog in the manger" attitude, taking a secret pleasre in the difficulties which are being thrown in the way of this Government in trying to settle the claims, and in the ab-solute fallure to obtain any evidence from the Spanish officers who have returned home. One recourse which this Government has,

One recourse which this Government has, as a last resort, to impress upon Spain her duty in facilitating the work of the commission would be a form of commercial punishment by pincing her exports to this country under heavy duties. It cannot be stated, however, that any definite method of reprisal is now decided on. The Treaty Claims Commission will be engaged in their work for probably two wars more. years more.

Through the successful work of agents in Cuba, assisted by the Cubans themselves, about one-third of these claims have been settled by the commission.

DEATH OF JOHN H. STAUBER.

Attorney Was Well Known at the Four Courts.

John H. Staubes of No. 114 South Fourteenth street, an attorney, died yesterday morning at the City Hospital of crysipe-las. He had been ill for several months and several days and was removed from his home to the hospital. He was 24 years cid. Standard of the standard of the standard of the four Courts and for several years practiced in the police and criminal courts, where he defended many notorious criminals. The body was removed to the undertaking rooms of John P. Murrell & Sons. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

Killed Sister-in-Law and Himself. Chicago, Jan. 3.-Angry because he had change, and a Angry secause he had been reprimanded by his sister-in-law and ordered from her home, John Polisk, a Bohemian, this afterneon shot the woman twice, killing her instantly. After committing the murder, Polisk shot himself through the mouth. He died in a few

SPECIALTIES.

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DEATHS.

AXLEY-Sunday, January 5, 1994, at noon, Mrs. Adella C. Axley, aged 64, widow of Perry Axley, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. 15, 8, Green, No. 454. Finney avenue, where the funeral services will be held Monday at 4 p. m. Interment in Chiro City Commercy at Villa Bidge, Ill., Tocaday, January E. Calro papers please copy.

SODEMANN On Seturday, January 2, 1994, pr 19 p. m., Elizabeth Bodemain one Scheller), aged 87 years and 11 months, relict of the late H. H. Bodemain and beloved mother of Mrs. William H. Wider, Mrs. C. C. Holmes and H. J. Bodemain, and sister of Mrs. H. A. Stienwender, Funeral private.

CARR--Entered into rest on Sunday, January 2, 1984, at 11:45 o'clock a, m., after a snort illness, Thomas Carr, beloved husbard of Bridget Carr one Quion), aged 59 years. Funcial will take place Tuesday, January 5, at 8:30 o'clock a, m., from the family residence, No. 1407 Talmage avenue, to St. Cronan's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend. Pittsburg, Pa., papers please copy.

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PIEDLER—Entered into rest on Saturday, January 2, 1984, at 9:15 o'clock a.m., Catherine Fiedler and mother of Mary, Katle, Hartie, Henry and Lawrence Fiedler and sister of Mrs. Alexander Rheinbelmer (see Klein) and Charles Klein. Funeral will take place from the family residence, No. 2018 Franklin avenue, on Monday, January 4, at 2 o'clock p. m., to St. Nicholas's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery, Friends are respectfully invited. Cape Girardeau, Mo., papers please copy.

FLEMING-Entered into rest on Sunday, January 2, 1894, at 4.29 o'clock a. m., Thomas M. Freming, beloved son of Thomas and Mas Fleming (nee Maher), aged 3 months. Funcial will take place from family residence. No. 2800A Page avenue, on Monday, January 4, at 2 o'clock p. m., to Calvary Cemetery. GARTH-On Saturday, January 2, 1994, of pueumonia, in Webster Groves, Jefferson Garth, aged 82 years. Burial at Lexington, Ky., Tuesday afternoon.

HBLLE-Sunday, January 7, 1894, at 11:15 p. m. John P. Heile, beloved husband of Mary Heile new Schmitt), and son of Peter P. and Mary Heile, at his home. No. 1896 Easton averue, agod 25 years and 4 months. Funeral notice later.

HOCHMUTH-Entered into rest Sunday, January 2, 1994, at 4 o'clock a. m. Elizabeth Hochmuth, beloved wife of the late Frederick Hochmuth and mother of John M. Hochmuth, aged 77 years and 1 month. Funeral Tuesday, January 5, at 9 o'clock a. m., from Meiners L. & U. Co. funeral pariors. Interment private.

KNIGHT-Entered into rest on Saturday evening, January 2, 1904, at 9:45 o'clock, Louisa M. Knight (nee Saville), beloved wife of Frank M. Knight, at the age of 31 years, Funeral Tuesday, January 5, at 2 o'clock p. m., trom family residence, No. 2612. North Eleventh street, to Priedens Cemetery. Friends invited.

LIEKWEG Sunday, January 3, 1904, at 10 1. m. Willie Charles Liekweg, ron of Henry and Henrietta Liekweg (nee Muth), aged 2 nonths. Funeral Tuesday, January 3, at 2 n. from family residence, Prospect Hill, St., outs Country, to Bettlebem Cemetery.

PEARSON On Saturday, January 2, 1904, at 130 a. m., Charles L. Pearson, beloved husband of Mamie B. Pearson (nee Beck), and beloved son of Mrs. A. B. Pearson and the late Alemso R. Pearson. Funeral will take place Monday, January 4, from residence, No. 3044 Cote Brilliante avenue, at 2 o'clock p. m., thence to St. Peter's Cemetery, Friends invited to attend. THYSON-Entered into rest, Saturday, Jan-uary 2, 1984, at 12:59 c. m., Louisa, beloved wife of John Thyson, and 59 years. Funeral from family residence. No. 50% Fisicissant avenue, Monday, January 4, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends twitted.

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### EASILY REACHED LEVELS OF 1902.

Receipts at Primary Markets in 1903 Frequently Surpassed Record of Previous Year.

YEAR'S INTERNAL COMMERCE.

Department of Commerce Prepares Statistics of Movements of Staple Commodities for Eleven Months.

The Republic Bureau, 14th St. and Pennsylvania Ave. Washington, Jan. 3.—Reports relating to the internal commerce of the United States for eleven months ending with November, as presented by the Depart-ment of Commerce and Labor, through its Bureau of Statistics, show in general that staple commodities at primary markets for that period held their own, com-pared with the movements # 1902. Grain and live stock receipts at leading centers have, as a rule, reached, if they did not exceed, last year's level.

To the end of November, 7,682,362 head of

cattle were received at five leading markets, compared with 6,391,718 head for the corresponding period of 1902. Receipts of all kinds in the eleven months were 29.-995,374 head in 1903 and 29,478,442 head in 1902. Receipts of live stock by markets were as follows for eleven months: Chicago, 14,146,820 head; Kansas City, 4,896,891 head; Omaha, 4,779,952 head; St. Louis, 3,459,649 head; St. Joseph, 2,712,062 head; St. Paul, 1,759,343 head; Sloux City, 1,287,974 head. The feeder movement for eleven months this year from St. Joseph and Kansas City reached 1,118,930 head, compared with 1.171.184 head in 1902 and 783,463 head in 1901.

HIGHER PRICES IN PROSPECT. The Western trade in live stock is generally undergoing one of those read-

generally undergoing one of those readjustments which inevitably form the
sequel to a period of high prices. The supply side of the situation has for some
time been working off its finished product
which was put into the process of preparation for market on the high-priced level
for unfinished stock which prevailed during 1991.

Comparisons of quotations and of quantities marketed would seem to indicate
that the cattle trade from the producers'
side of the market has not yet succeeded
in finding that new basis in cost of production which corresponds to the level of the
consuming demand for meat products.
Nevertheless, retail meat prices are apparently slow in receding.

Stocks of cut meats at the five markets
are, however, diminishing. Only five
months ago (July) they were 25 per cent
larger than in 1992, whereas on November
30, this year, they were barely 8 per cent
larger than in 1992.

WHEAT MOVEMENTS.

WHEAT MOVEMENTS. Wheat movements continue to be in-fluenced by milling demands. Up to the close of November Minneapolis was reported as still drawing wheat from winter wheat territory as far south as Oklahoma. Large quantities of flour have been going out from Minneapolis to China and Australia. Total shipments, domestic and foreign, from Minneapolis in November, 1983, were 2073,106 barrels, compared with 3.192,209 in 1982. This increase is not confined to the Northwest, but on the North Pacific Coast as well milling demands have kept up the price of wheat to the level, which has materially restricted exports in spite of the lowest ocean grain rate on record between the Pacific Coast and Europe.

Meanwhile shipments from the Southern Hemisphere have come to the front and will be materially influencing the world's market of wheat for the rest of the crop year.

COTTON SUPPLY. close of November Minneapolis was re-

COTTON SUPPLY. In Southern territory the total supply of cotton to the end of November was 5,159,-782 bales, compared with 5,274,765 bales in 782 bales, compared with 5,274,765 bales in 1992. Of the former total, 4,991,922 bales were sight receipts to November 39. Out of this latter total 3,788,100 bales were port receipts, 177,517 bales entering into averland shipments, 595,090 bales for Southern mill takings direct and 431,265 bales were withdrawais from port receipts for Southern mill consumption.

Grain shipments from the Guif ports to November 20 this year amounted to 46,-988,129 bushels, compared with 26,089,259 bushels in 1992. Flour shipments were 1,-949,559 barrels, against 866,247 barrels in 1992.

COAL SHIPMENTS. Anthracite coal shipments during No ember amounted to 4,091,147 tons, comvember amounted to 4,001,147 tons, c/m-pared with 3,225,642 tons in October end 4,984,384 tons in November, 1902 For eleven months this year 55,103,084 tons ware shipped, compared with 25,101,509 tons in 1962 and 49,590,001 tons in 1901. Other coal shipments were reported as follows:

Pennsylvania Railroad lines east of Pittsburg and Eric (forty-seven weeks), 27,572,212 tons, of which 8,568,310 tons were coke, 25,281,237 tons bituminous coal and 3,822,165 tons anthracite; Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad reported 4,835,771 tons of coal and coke to the end of October, 1903, compared with 3,429,937 tons in 1902; Scuthern Railway shipments for nine months this year were 2,797,657 tons, against 2,672,581 tons in 1902.

Seven railroads in Ohio reported a coal tonnage of 11,782,221 tons in ten months ending with October, 1903, and 11,688,578 tons in 1902. St. Louis receipts for eleven months in 1903 were 5,122,777 tons, compared with 4,734,420 tons in 1902, and Chicago received, 2885,336 tons of coal and coke in ten months, compared with 7,698,588 tons in 1902. pared with 3,925,642 tons in October and

PROBING ALLEGED HYPNOTIC MURDER.

Paris Deeply Interested in Peculiar Case-Woman Mesmerist Under Arrest.

Paris, Jan. 3.-Paris is deeply interested in the alleged hypnotic murder of a woman named Chappuls, 61 years old, whose surviving relatives include Leon Grasse an operatic conductor; Lieutenant Girado of the army and M. Toutain, a bank of

or the army and the Chappuls woman ficial.

The neighbors of the Chappuls woman were a family named Martin, consisting of husband and wife, who are Spiritualists. It is alleged that Mme. Martin obtained a commanding influence over Mme. Chappuls, with the result that Mme. Chappuls made a will in her favor cutting off her army all heits.

natural heifs.

Mine, Chappuls died and was buried, On complaint of her relatives the body was exhumed, but no trace of poison was found in the stomach,

Mine, Martin has been arrested, and witnesses have testified to her alleged control over the dead woman, but it is not believed that she will be prosecuted unless facts are developed showing that she physically brought about the death of Mine. Chappuls.

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New Year Starts With Disconcerting and Disappointing Break in Securities.

BROKERS DEFEAT OWN ENDS.

One of the Causes of the Declines Is Effort to Create Favorable Sentiment and Induce Public Buying.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New York, Jan. 2.—In the security maret the very severe break of Sathrday was disconcerting and disappointing to many operators who looked for improvement to start off immediately with the first busi ness day of the year. The course of the stock market, however, does not of necessity spell war between Russia and Japan or indicate with absolute precision that reactionary prices would be long continued. even in the event of an outbreak of hos-

It does indicate very clearly, however, that our financial and security market cannot divorce itself absolutely from others having a more direct concern in the outcome of the far Eastern dispute. While the situation continues in its unettled state and until affairs shape themselves in some manner more clearwidely variable changes are wholly likely

to prevail in the security market.

FAR EASTERN SITUATION. Some very unfavorable deductions were drawn in Wall street from the pronounced drawn in Wall street from the pronounced weakness in securities and the wiping out in a space of two hours many gains attained during two weeks of bull manipulation. The explanation of this doubtless is to be found more in the technical position of the security market than any widespread apprehension that the European Powers or even this country by some rash administrative act will become

directly involved in impending hostilities.

But with a situation of such extreme delicacy as that in the far East, rendered the more so by the traditional suspicion of Russia by England, clearly defined from the days of the Turko-Russian War and complicated by the English-Japanese and Franco-Russian treaties, to dismiss the possibility that greater Powers may be drawn into the controversy, in a manner highly disturbing, even while avoiding any more serious results, is idle.

BREAKS NOT REASSURING

BREAKS NOT REASSURING. The effects of such severe breaks as those of Saturday doubtless will not wholly reassuring upon the public. Oddly wholly reassuring upon the public. Odd.y enough, the position created which rendered the market vulnerable and the decilines severe owed its origin in part to an effort to create favorable sentiment and induce public buying at a higher level. It appears therefore that the manipulative movement really defeated its own nurpose.

tive movement really defeated its own purpose.

Probably no event of the coming week will have more influence on the local security market than the publication of the annual earnings of the United States Steel Corporation and the declaration of the dividend policy of the company. The earnings for the quarter ending December 31 last will be compared with earnings for the same period in 1801 of \$29.759.912 and in 1802 of \$31.359.613. Estimates for the present year are all the way from \$13.-900.000 to \$20.000.000. The general consensus of opinion appears to favor the passing of the common stock entirely and a retention of the preferred rate of 7 per cent unchanged at this time.

DEFENDS SUPREME COURT.

Governor Stephens Says Attacks on Its Integrity Are Unjust.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 2.—Governor Stephens and his wife spent the holidays with relatives in Boonville. The Governor was called there, in connection with L C. Nelson of St. Louis and Captain Charles E. Leonard, to settle the estate of his father-in-law, the late James M. Nelson, who was one of the most prominent and wealthiest citizens of the Stare. off a few hours at Jefferson City, visiting their many friends in this city, on their return to their home in St. Louis. In discussing the "boodle cases" before the Supreme Court, Governor Stephens said: tacks upon the integrity of the Judges of our highest court. Such talk leads to our highest court. Such talk leads to anarchy, and it is high time for the good people of the State to speak out upon the subject in no uncertain terms.

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Governor Stephens stated that he found the sentiment in Cooper County practically unanimous for Folk for Governor.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Washington, Jan. 3.-The building trade of the United States in general and the manufacturers of Portland cement in particular are interested in the opening of bids for furnishing 1,000 barrels of cement for the Tonto basin Monday at the office of Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock. While the amount of cement on which proposals are to be received is relatively mall in comparison with the 200,000 barrels which will be consumed in the building of the dam, it is understood that on the prices quoted on this lot of cement will be based the decision of the Interior

will be based the decision of the interior Department on the question of entering into the manufacture of its own cement for this project.

A number of bidders will be present at the opening of the proposals and the As-sociation of Portland Cement Manufactur-ers will be represented by several mem-bers of the Executive Board from Phila-delphia.

delphia.

In preparing the estimates for the great cam, the engineers of the Geological Survey computed the cost of the 200,000 barrels of cement by adding to the cost of cement at San Francisco in carload lors the freight to Globe, Ariz, and a wagon haul of forty miles over a mountain road to the dam. This calculation made the cost of cement which sells at \$1.90 to \$1.75

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per barrel f. o. b. cars San Francisco about 39 per barrel at the dam site.

The Government, therefore, purchased a cement mill at the cost of \$100,000, and proposed to make its own cement besile the dam. To this proposition the manufacturers have filed a protest, and pending its disposition, Secretary Hitchcock has advertised for "1,000 barrels or more" and also for carload lets, to be delivered at Globe, in order to ascertain the probable cost of the whole quantity of cement desired, should it be purchased from the manufacturers.

It is understood the Western cement manufacturers especially those in Colorado, Utah and on the Pacific Stope, have obtained concessions from the railroads which will materially reduce the cost of cement landed at Globe, and the extent of such concessions will likely appear in the bids to be opened to-morrow.

For Columbus, Dayton And other interior Ohio points take the 8:15 p. m. train via Vandalia-Pennsylvania lines. Sleeper to Columbus, with immediate connection for points North. South and East. Ticket offices, Seventh and Olive and Union Station.

First Baptist Church Burns Indianapolis. Ind., Jan. 3.—The First Baptist Church, one of the finest in the city, was burned to the ground this morn-ing at 8 o'clock. The loss is \$50,000. It caught from an overheated furnace.

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west.
Ordinance No. 2127 directs the purchase of a lot having a frontage of not less than forty feet, on which to erect an engine-house within the district bounded by Berthold avenue on the north. Macklind avenue on the east, Manchester avenue on the south and Pierce avenue on the west.

Proposals must be sealed and addressed to the undersigned and irdorsed "Proposals to sell to the City of St. Louis a lot on which to erect an engine-house."

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Mayor. JAMES Y. PLAYER, Comptroller.

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